

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

DATE Sept 15, 1986FULL NAME Mark T. Gupta SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER _____
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

ADDRESS _____

CITY Waterbury STATE VT ZIP CODE 05676DATE OF BIRTH 5/62 (This is important and should be exact)APPROXIMATE AGE — (To be used ONLY when date of birth is not known)

RELIGION _____ NATIONALITY _____

OCCUPATION Self-employed contractor

EDUCATION _____

WEIGHT 165 HEIGHT 6' RACE CaucasianCOLOR OF HAIR Dark Brown COLOR OF EYES _____

OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INTERESTS _____

MARRIED OR SINGLE Single CHILDREN —
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

NAME OF SPOUSE _____

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

UNIT #	CITY	STATE	POSITION	DATE REGISTERED	DATE RESIGNED
0750	Waterbury	VT	SA	12/83 - 12/85	—
0750	Waterbury	VT	SM	12/85 - 5/86	5/86

SPECIAL RECOGNITION _____

SUSPENDED OR DENIED REGISTRATION FOR FOLLOWING REASONS: Scout [REDACTED] of Troop 0750 related to his father that he had been molested on a Troop campout while sleeping in the same tent as Scoutmaster Gupta.

SPECIFY THE FACTS WHICH LEAD YOU TO RECOMMEND DENIAL OF REGISTRATION AND LIST ATTACHED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (STATE ONLY KNOWN FACTS, NOT RUMOR, CONJECTURE OR SPECULATION):

F. STARON

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NOTED

MAR 23 '87

JOSEPH L. ANDAM

Signed

John A. Coyle Field Dir.
SCOUT EXECUTIVE

Council

Area Mountain 575

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CONF023287

March 26, 1987

Mr. Robert J. Kumbera
Scout Executive
Green Mountain Council, No. 592

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Mark T. Guptil

Dear Bob:

Thank you for the detailed information concerning the above Scouter. We have reviewed this case with our Attorney and have now placed this man on the Confidential File.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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cc: Northeast Region

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MAR 25 1987

SHIRLEY MEYER

CONF023288

March 5, 1987

Mr. Robert J. Kumbera
Scout Executive
Green Mountain Council, No. 592

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Mark T. Guptil

Dear Bob:

Thank you very much for the latest information which you sent on the above-named individual. This will certainly give us all the information we need for refusing registration, should an attempt be made.

If you are successful in getting something in writing related to the sentencing, this will be helpful, but we do believe the file is now complete. Let me know if I may be of help to you at anytime in the future.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

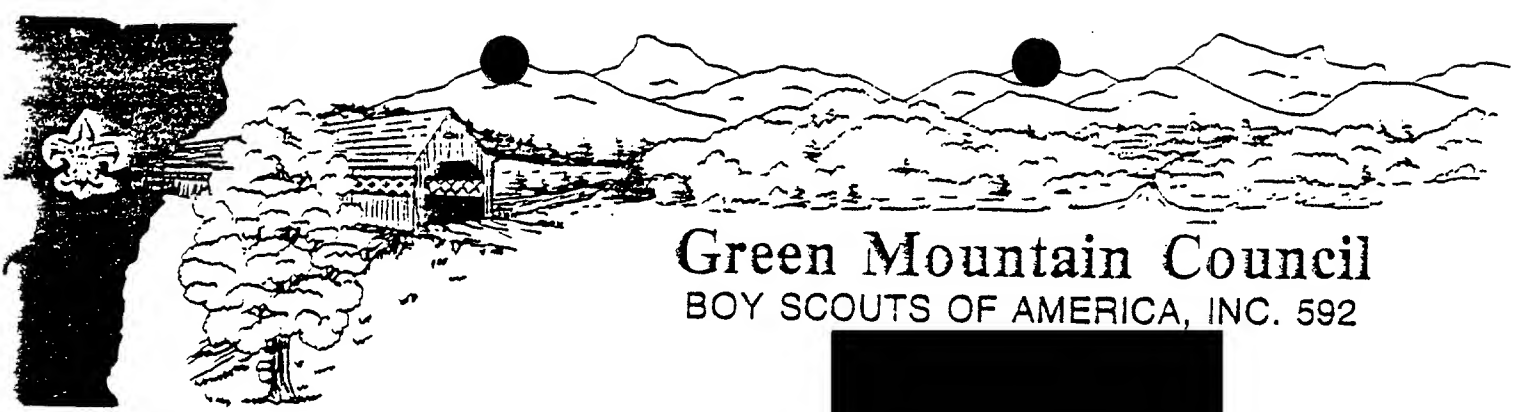
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MAR 5 1987

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February 27, 1987

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscriptions & Statistical Services
Boy Scouts of America
National Council
[REDACTED]

Irving, Texas 75038-3096

Dear Paul:

I was informed that Mark T. Guptil was sentenced 5 to 7 years for child molestation this past week. I do not have any news articles on this and I am trying to obtain something in writing to send you. If I am successful, I will forward it to you.

Sincerely,

Robert J. Kumbera
Robert J. Kumbera *mls*
Scout Executive

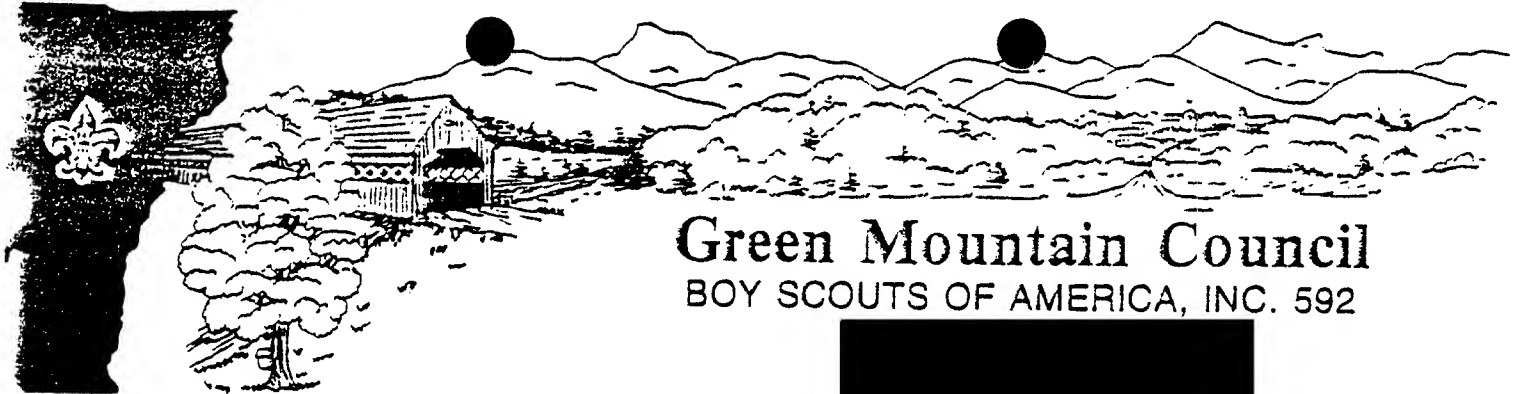
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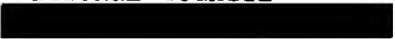


Green Mountain Council
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, INC. 592



February 27, 1987

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscriptions & Statistical Services
Boy Scouts of America
National Council



Irving, Texas 75038-3096

Dear Paul:

Enclosed is an affidavit from the District Court of Vermont -
pertaining to Mark Guptil.

Sincerely,

Robert J. Kumbera

Robert J. Kumbera
Scout Executive

RJK/mls

STARON

MAR 2 1987

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SPRINGFIELD, UPPER VALLEY, WASHINGTON AND WINDHAM COUNTIES

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JUL 17 1986

1335-12-86-11000

Guptil Mark T		Unit No. 2	Circuit Washington
Sched. Date of Appearance 10/20/86			
City, State, Zip Code Waterbury, Vt 05676		Date of Birth 5/29/62	Age 24 Place of Birth Montpelier, Vt
Date of Offense 3/23/86	Date of Arrest Citation Department VSP	Operator License No.	Initials Incident
Name of Offense L&L with Child	Count 1 of 1	Title 13	Section VSA 2602
		Felony XX	Misd. Muni. Code (VCI):

Date of Rule 5 Hg. 10/20/86	Date of Arraignment 10/20/86	Defendant Pleads: <input type="checkbox"/> Guilty <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Guilty	Defendant's Attorney <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Counsel Assigned	Name of Judge Cook	Date
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probable Cause Found	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 24 Hour Rule	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Guilty	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Counsel Assigned	Name of Defendant's Attorney Cohen, S. Craddock	Amount Bail
<input type="checkbox"/> Continued for Plea	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reading of Info.	<input type="checkbox"/> Pro Forma Not Guilty	<input type="checkbox"/> Counsel Denied	Name of Guardian Ad Litem	Date of Summons

PRE-ARREST BAIL		Att's. Appearance or Return	
Date: 10/20/86	Date Set 10/20/86	Amount	Date Posted
Date Discovery Order 10/20/86	Date Set 10/20/86	Date Posted	11/14/86 - Mo. to disqualify SA from case; Mo. in Amended Request to Produce by city. calv.
Status Conference Set For 11/17/86, 9:30	Amount	Date Mfr. For Lack of Bail	
Calendar Call Set For	Deposit	Date Refunded	
Jury Drawing Set For	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal Recognizance <input type="checkbox"/> Appearance Bond	<input type="checkbox"/> Cash/Surety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Conditions	

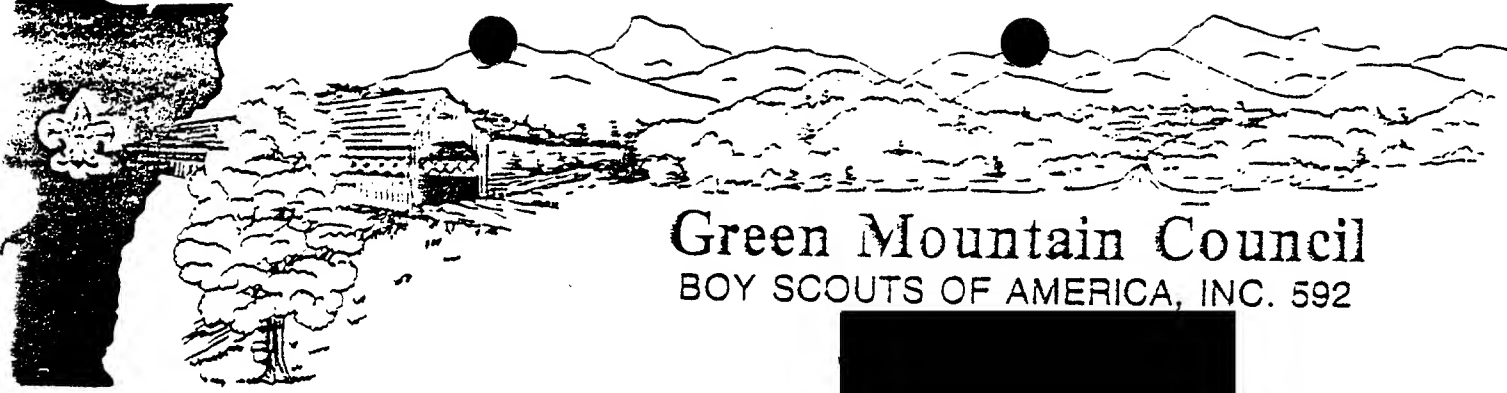
Date Jury Drawn	Judge Reporter	Date of Determination
Date Trial Begun	Judge Reporter	<input type="checkbox"/> P.O. Reasonable <input type="checkbox"/> P.O. Not Reasonable
<input type="checkbox"/> Trial by Jury <input type="checkbox"/> Trial by Court	<input type="checkbox"/> Admitted <input type="checkbox"/> Waived <input type="checkbox"/> By Def. <input type="checkbox"/> By S.A.	1/26/87 at 10:15 AM

AMENDED TO: Name of Offense	Title	Section	V.S.A.
<input type="checkbox"/> Plea Guilty	Date 2/13/87	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plea Agreement	Felony Misd. Muni. Code (VCI):
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plea Nolo	Defendant's entry of plea of Guilty Nolo Contendere is found by this court to be voluntary and made with knowledge and understanding of the consequences and after knowing waiver of constitutional rights. Plea has a factual basis. Said plea is hereby accepted and adjudication of guilty entered hereon.		
<input type="checkbox"/> Verdict Guilty	JUDGE: [Signature]		
<input type="checkbox"/> Guilty by Waiver			
<input type="checkbox"/> Nolo by Waiver			
<input type="checkbox"/> PSI Ordered	Date 2/13/87	Sentencing Set For	2/13/87 - Plea agreement accepted
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PSI Waived			

Date of Sentencing 2/13/87	Sentence Deferred For	years
Amount	Date Paid in Full	Due Date

MINIMUM 3	MAXIMUM 4
SUSPENDED	
TO SERVE	
Consecutive	
to Det. No. 1	

Date of Disposition 2/13/87	Date of Warrant 2/13/87	Date of Appeal 2/19/87
Signature of [Signature] 2/13/87		



November 11, 1986

Mr. Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service
National Office
Boy Scouts of America
[Redacted]

Irving, Texas 75038-3096

Dear Paul:

We have received your recent letter regarding the confusion over Mark Cuptil's last name. Our records do indicate Cuptil. I believe the newspaper is wrong.

Please contact me if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Robert J. Kumbers

Robert J. Kumbers
Scout Executive

RJK/mls

F. STARON
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CONF023293

October 29, 1986

Mr. Robert J. Kumbera
Scout Executive
Green Mountain Council, No. 592

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Mark Guptil

Dear Bob:

Thank you for the latest information on the above-named individual. We do note that the latest newspaper clipping indicates that the last name is spelled "Guptio". The information we had received earlier indicated that the name was spelled "Gupril". Perhaps you could clarify for us what the correct spelling is for our permanent file.

We hope you will keep us informed as further legal action takes place. We appreciate your help at this time.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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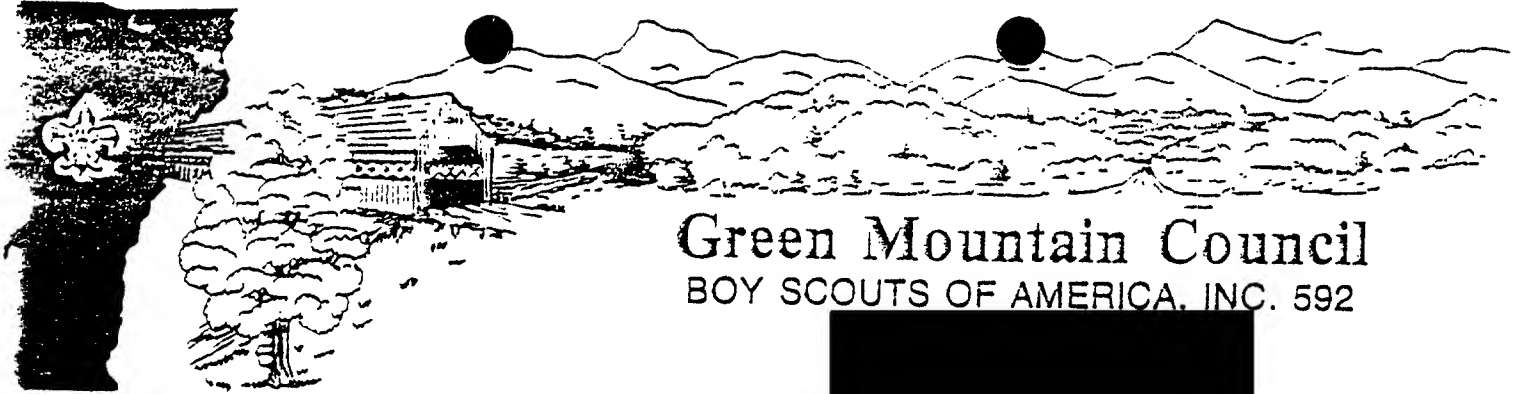
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OCT 29 1986

SHIRLEY MEYER

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Green Mountain Council
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, INC. 592

October 22, 1986

Mr. Paul Ernst
Registration, Subscription & Statistical Service
[REDACTED]
Irving, Tx. 75038-3096

Dear Paul:

Enclosed is the latest news article on Mark Gupcio. I will continue to update you on any further developments.

Sincerely yours,

Robert J. Kimbera
Scout Executive

RJK/mls

Encl:

**Man Denies
Sex Charge**

10/25/86
[REDACTED] BARRE: Mark Gupcio, 24, of Waterbury pleaded innocent Monday in Vermont District Court in Barre to a count of lewd and lascivious conduct for an incident that allegedly took place last March.

The incident allegedly took place in Colbyville, court records said.
BURLINGTON FREE PRESS

October 1, 1986

Mr. Robert J. Kumbera
Scout Executive
Green Mountain Council, No. 592

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Mark T. Guptil

Dear Bob:

Thank you for the Confidential Record Sheet which you recently sent to us concerning the above-named individual. This will give us all the information which we need for identifying Mr. Guptil should he try to register with the Boy Scouts of America in some other location.

We really would like more information concerning this matter if you can secure it. We wonder if any legal action is going to take place and if any charges were made by the Scout or the family in court.

The statement of one individual against another is very difficult to substantiate, especially if several years go by and neither you nor I are on our present jobs. This would make it very difficult for someone else to refuse registration should an application come in from another council.

Any statements from other individuals or legal convictions would be most helpful.

Thanks for your help in protecting the youth of America.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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cc: Northeast Region

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SEP 30 1986

SHIRLEY MEYER

CONF023296

August 18, 1986

Mr. Robert J. Kumbera
Scout Executive
Green Mountain Council, No. 592

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Mark T. Guptil

Dear Bob:

We had information from you in April that the above-named individual had been accused of molesting a Scout. We have not heard from you since that time and wondered if any progress had been made in legal action.

I am enclosing a Confidential Record Sheet which I would like to have completed, so that we may identify Mr. Guptil. This will be most helpful to us should he try to register in some other location.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

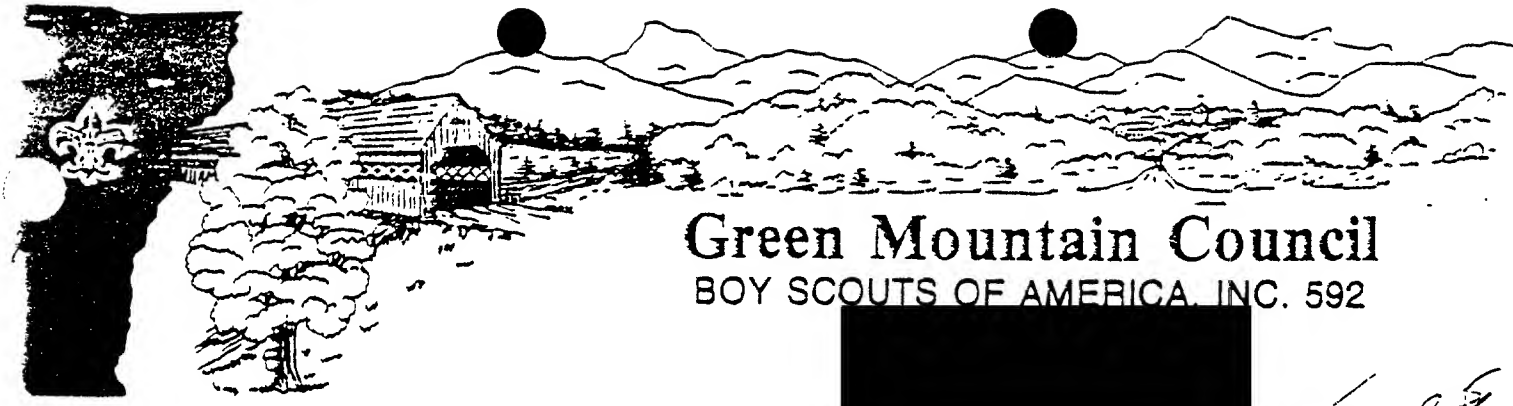
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Enclosure

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Green Mountain Council
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, INC. 592

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April 1, 1986

Mr. Paul Ernst
Director of Subscriptions and
Statistical Service
Boy Scouts of America


Irving, TX 75038-3096

Dear Paul:

Please find enclosed a copy of the letter that was sent to Thomas Sweet, President of the Waterbury, Vermont Rotary Club. The Waterbury Rotary is the chartered partner for Troop 1 in Waterbury.

Allegations of molestation of at least one Scout in Troop 1 were made against Scoutmaster, Mark T. Guptil. This letter is to inform you that as of April 1, 1986 Mr. Guptil has been removed from our rolls as the Scoutmaster of Troop 1, pending further investigation. We will keep you advised of the progress in the investigation.

Sincerely,


Robert J. Kumbra
Scout Executive

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[REDACTED]
Waterbury, Vt. 05676

Mr. Mark Guptil
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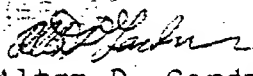
Waterbury, Vt. 05676

Mr. Mark Guptil:

The Committee of Troop 1, Waterbury, at a special meeting held on 31 March 1966 voted unanimously to separate you as Scoutmaster of the troop, effective immediately.

We thank you for your time and effort to help the troop in the past.

FOR THE TROOP COMMITTEE:


Alton D. Gardner
Committee Chairman

Cy to:

Green Mountain Council, B.S.A.

Waterbury Library